

HE FALL OF SAMARIA ngs 17:1-18—June 18 of often represed harden middenly be destroyed, or edy."—Procerbs 10:1.

OSHEA, King of Israel, the town central personage of this study, in the Lord's sight than some of his 1st Saturday and Sunday in sors. Gradually the Assyrian kingdom had extended its control to Israel, and Hoshes maintained his days. throne by paying tribute.

This continued for several years until the King of Israel thought himself tians on the south to refuse further

tribute money. In nsequence, the army ndvanced and laid siege to the capital city. Samaria. It seems astounding, in-deed, to learn that the city withstood the siege for three years. The end came in the ninth year of Hoshea, and signified the end of

Cutopult for throwing

the ten-tribe kingdom, the people being transported by their captors several ndred miles to another portion of the Assyrian empire.

The overthrow of Israel, recounted In this study, we are directly told, was a judgment from the Lord. "There fore the Lord was very angry with Isrnel and removed them out of His sight; there were none left but the tribe of Judah only."

a very natural way—by sapping the greatly stirred up about it.

We have the name of the in Isrnel's case there was something more than this. God entered into a special Covenant with that nation by which He bound Himself and they

Israel agreed to be God's people, to serve and obey Him faithfully; and few miles down the creek and died ing, ironing and decorating and God agreed that, if they would do so, next day, and he was missing from making them fashionable, will find ild specially favor them and look out for their interests, their flocks, their herds, their health, their erity; all were to be blessed so long as they were loyal and true. On contrary, God specially piedged Himself that if they as a people proved unfaithful to the Covenant, He m, deliver them to their enemies. etc. Thus Israel's prosperity or defeat indicated surely the Lord's favor or disfavor, in a manner not applicable

Destroyed Without Remedy

Our text, taken from Proverbs, tells what will be the final outcome of any conflict between God and the sinner. Whoever shall be remanded to the Second Death, there will be no hope for

The philosophy of this is plain: Adamic death, which comes to all men as a result of Adam's sin and his condemnation as a sinner, is to be entire-ly wiped out, and Adam and all of his race are to be fully released from it.

Those of us who, as the Spirit-begotten Church, enjoy this favor in the nt time, must not expect any further favor along this line in the fufor Christ dieth no more; and only one share in His rederaptive work is provided for every member of the

to them "a savor of life unto life, or of death unto death," as it is now to the Church

Israel's Promised Restitution The Israelites suffered the penalty

for their failure as a nation; they were destroyed. but not without remedy. Indeed. us that in the end of this Age. as soon as the election of the Church shall have been completed and the tion accomplish ed. God's favor

will return to Inrnel, the twelve tribes, and their regathering will be the first blessing to umanity under Messiah's giorious

St Paul brings this matter to our attention very explicitly in his letter to the Romans. (11:25-32.) The logic of his argument should be carefully noted, including the fact that Natural Israel will receive mercy at the hands of Spiritual Israel-in the Kingdom.

The nation of Isrnel transgressed Divine commands, and was therefore orthy of panishment-but this did ot signify that the nation would beated from the Divine mercy ch God had already intended and

tied through Abraham. for Israel, in the days of Ho at any other time, nor any knew anything about d immertality which God profer to mankind redeemer in due time. This great be spoken by our rmed unto us by "-Heb. 2st.

the forks of Newcomb. tt three stores, the postoffice, blacksmith shop and school and church house. A railroad has been projected through here and our village to nicely located to make thriving town when it is built. Our soft is good, and our land is also rich in coal and other minerals, and we know of no reason why should not have a thriving

Regular Baptists is paid the rather doubtful changed their meeting from the upliment of being less evil 4th Saturday and Sunday to the month at this place

Sunday school at two p. m. Sun-

A horse valued at about \$150 was stolen from John F. Mason, on the night of May 29th. The next morn ing when Mr. Mason went to feed his horse he discovered that horse was gone; and the hay dicating that the borse had been tak makes it miserable, en in the earlier part of the night. After some skirmishing Mr. Mason down Newcomb creek. He took up porach to heaven. The day com into Dry Fork, between Webbrille from our sight, out of reach

is thought to be the desperado. He blessedness of home had been to Mr. Mason's on the evening before the stealing and the neighborhood. S.J.P.

BATAVIA, OHIO,

By requests of my many friends in Lawrence county, Ky., to write them I thought I would take the away from home, but he is very them to looking forward to your would specially chastise them, punish short method and write to the glad to return to it. The plainest News. We left our old Kentucky old familiar dish is better than the to happity home wonderfully. home May 25th, and received our daintiest epicurean bill of fare household goods here the 26th. I abroad. One's own little room, with find very clever, friendly people its handy, compact belongings, is that his home is indeed a home, the here. There are a great many Ken- preferable to all the marble halls, happiest place in the world. not tuckians here and some from W. swept through by silken clad dames. Va. Good churches and schools.We went to Sunday school and church Sunday. We live on the pike, with- known whether the key note there in 10 minutes walk of the Interur- is high or low. There are houses. ban and Bethel Traction line. The affluent wealth and culture, where land is strong limestone. The sur- the discords are incessant, and the face is level, rolling and hilly. All meaning of life no higher than that kinds of grain do well here. Alfal- of brutes. But no symphony can fa and blue grass are natural compare with the significence growths here. A great many farm- daily life, in a family es are engaged in the dairy busi- words and noble conduct. ness here. We have market for wagon comes to our door and takes never again while time is our butter, eggs and chickens, and shall any one's love be to us When in the future all the world on a high plain about eight or nine throbbing heart was our safe protec-Truth, the grace of God will then be are 2 1-2 miles from Hamlet, 1-2 lils and maladies of childhood, her hunded feet above his sea level. We tion and support, and through high school at Amelia

> earnest to get our corn planted. We youth. planted 15 acres last week and worked our notatoes.

others. T. J. CHAPMAN.

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from Paintsville, and about twenty- age of twenty, in mental ability. two miles from Sandy Hook, in the midst of a fine farming section, with two churches and Sunday the mother of a large family may schools, four stores, two blacksmith never fully come to know her chilshops, saw mill, grist mill, handle dren, and gain that influence over mili and carding machine, a good BANK, and a lot of good folks who are interested in education. have just established a graded school and want for principal a man who can draw people from a distance to attend school here af-

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A home where the golden rule is found tracks of the horse leading lived is the nearest possible apthe trail and started in pursuit and all too soon when the household is in the evening of the second day, scattered—the boys and girls, alas! found the horse hitched under a girls no longer-are gone to make rock house, or cliff, in the head homes for themselves, elsewher; of Bellstrace, a small stream flows when some perhaps, are laid away and Willard. The thief made good kind words of helpful deeds. Happy his escape, a posse watched the spot are we if no sorrowful thoughts where the horse was found hitched haunt us, of hasty words and unand at daybreak next mornig dis- kind deeds, if only pleasant memocovered a man who, when saluted, ries remain. We may, if our means ran for life. A deputy sheriff fired allow, make our homes beautiful several shots after him, but he would and attractive, and it is well to do not halt and escaped in the brush. so. But without the true spirit of them for good individually which is This is the first real horse stealing home, it will be but a cheerless and so desirable that every

was refused. His horse was left a of her children and herself, starchthe lessons she taught cropping in useful habits.

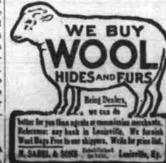
One may be very happy a while

A stranger, entering a household

everything at our door. The grocery Others may love as fondly, but ours. the fresh meat wagon comes along fond, as tender as devoted, as was and you can get a steak or roast. that of our dear old trembling moth We are 23 miles east of Cincinnati, er. Through helpless infancy her mile from Mount Holley, 5 miles gentle hand ministered and soothfrom Batavia, the county seat of ed as none other could. We feel ani-Clermont county, 5 miles from mated to struggle more manfully in Bethel and 3 1-2 miles from the the great battle of life, when we no covering, no armor. Every arremember our mother's holy coun-We put on our farming harness sel to us in childhood's early dawn last week and went to work in and in the slippery paths of

It should be the aim of all to It has been very dry here, but give the girls just as broad a we had a nice rain the 3rd. Elmer business education as the boys. It went to the city Sunday. There makes them capable of taking care are some familiar names here: John of the family, if such responsibili-Brown, Wm. Shannon, W. S. Davis, ties are placed upon them; it broad-Chapman and Edwards and many ens their ideas and makes them nobler and better. Girls as a rule, are fully as clearheaded as boys when have moistened a mother's grave young, but if, as is the common FOR BLAINE GRADED SCHOOL. practice, the girls are brought up to Blaine is located in the central do nothing, to think but little expart of Lawrence county, twenty cept of dress and amusements, they miles from Louisa, twenty miles fall far behind the young man. at

There is a very real danger that



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that has occurred in our vicinity desolate mockery—while the hum-should have. We do not healtate to Sin tends to national destruction in for quite a while and the people are blest cottage where love dwells and say that it is absolutely impossible kindness reigns, may most beauti- for a woman to become the confi-We have the name of the one who fully exemplify the sweetness and dent and friends of her children unless she weekly-nay, daily-spend some short tim calone with The mother who spends most of Only in this way can each child feel wanted to trade for the horse, but her time fussing over the wardrobes the security of his or her ownership of that precious mother.

> Brother, when you come in form work in the evening, we all know dudeism; in vanity that prevents the you are tired, but put on your best development of solid character and look and assume a happy mood; do not frown if the floor is not swept, or supper ready. Engage the little folks just a little while and get coming with pleasure. It will help

> > A child should be made to feel merely an outward shelter and a resting place, but a center enjoyment, sanctified and purified by love, the thought and remem brance of which should be safeguard of his life as he goes fortl and proportion to his character.

While it is comparatively easy to be polite toward strangers, or toward people of distiniction, whom we meet in society or on public oc casions, still it should be remember ed that it is at home, in -family that an everyday politeness is really most prized, coming as it should from the kindly feeling of the heart.

Of all places on earth, home is chords move with a breath; fires are kindledwi th a spark; its flowers are bruised with the least rudeness. Here our hearts wear row stricks them, every old wave blows full upon them. If we would have a true home, we must guard well our thoughts and actions.

wife deserves to have a poor one And the man who praises a good wife more than she deserves haun't been born yet.

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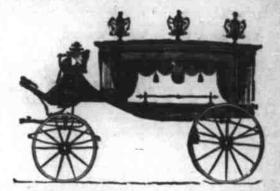
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BIG MOUTH OR SMALL CHICKS.

In the monthly crop report of M. C. Rankin, Commissioner of Agricul- its esteemed correspondents that

ture, for June, it is shown that the in the Madge neighborhood a fer drouth and hot weather of May has was killed recently which had five had a bad effect on crops over the frying chicks in its month. whole State. The oats crop seems man who killed it deserves the to have suffered most. The re- hearty thanks of dealers in "springport says that corn suffered least ers." of all.

GOOD ROADS IN CABELL.

The result of the county pond by of \$300,000 in bonds for improving the roads, was a sweeping verdict Take Hall's family Pills for consti- in favor of good roads and progressThe News learns from one of

ETERNAL FITNESS OF THINGS

In a debate at Bowling Green & was decided that the medical pr blood and mucous surfaces of the election, Saturday, over in Cabell fession has been more beneficial to system. Testimonials sent free. county, W. Va., to pass on an issue humanity than the teaching profession has. There were two tors and two teachers on each a and the judges were an undert er, a proacher and a lawyer